

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY RANGOON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6778

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E. O. 11652: N/ A DECON ON RECEIPT

TAGS: EMIN BTRA BM

SUBJ: OIL POLICY

REF: RANGOON 919

1. FOL MESSAGE GIVEN TO EMBASSY BY HAMILTON BROS. LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE U TUN SHWE FOR TRANSMISSION TO FOREST MOLSBERRY, HAMILTON BROS. OIL CO., 1600 BROADWAY, DENVER, COLO.
2. QTE RELIABLY INFORMED ALTOGETHER 38 FIRMS INVITED FOR TALKS. FIRMS WHICH HAVE PREVIOUSLY GIVEN AID SUCH AS AMOCO AND JAPEX ARRIVED THIS WEEK. AT YOUR FIRST MEETING MOC WILL HAND YOU OWN PROPOSAL FOR COOPERATION ON EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION SHARING BASIS. YOU WILL GET SEISMIC SURVEY DATA, OFFSHORE GEOLOGICAL MAPS AND PROSPECTIVE LEASE BLOCKS. CAN HOLD MORE MEETINGS TO DISCUSS TERMS AND SATISFY YOUR QUESTIONS. WILL MUTUALLY AGREE ON DATE FOR YOUR REPLY LATER. IMPORTANT TO SUBMIT PROMPT EXPLORATION AND INVESTMENT PROGRAM. INITIALLY OUR GOVERNMENT EXPECT ABOUT TEN FIRMS TO COOPERATE. DRILLSHIP THORNTON REACHED 8000 FEET AT SIXTH WELL WITHOUT RESULTS YET. CHIEF GEOLOGIST U THAN NYUNT VISITING HANOVER TO ATTEND GERMAN GEOLOGICAL CONFERENCE BUT WILL BE BACK IN TIME TO HELP US. FOR FRIENDS PLEASE BRING THREE SEIKO DAYDATE WATCHES THREE FOUNTAIN PEN SETS. REGARDS. TUNSHWE THUREIN. UNQTE.

3. INTERESTED PARTY.  
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NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED DENVER.

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